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Further to a telephone conference between Examiner Essama Omgba and Applicant's representative, submitted herewith is a revised Power of Attorney and Terminal Disclaimer, both signed by Applicant. The Examiner had indicated that the previously filed POA was on behalf of a customer number which Applicant's representative is no longer affiliated with.

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